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INVENTION:

"SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE

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ARRANGEMENT WITH A

JUNCTION REGION BETWEEN

SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE STRUCTURES

HAVING STRUCTURES HAVING A DECREASING

THEN INCREASING FINGER PERIOD"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In the Notice of Allowability (Paper No. 6) attached to the Notice of Allowance dated March 13, 2002, Formal Drawings were required to include the changes requested by the proposed drawing correction filed April 27, 2001 and to include the changes required in the Examiner's Amendment, which changes included adding legends "Prior Art" to Figs. 1, 2 and 4a and removing the sheet numbers, such as 1/3, etc.

In the attached envelope are three sheets of Formal Drawings which incorporate the changes proposed in the above-mentioned proposed drawing corrections filed April 27, 2001 and also incorporates the changes required by the Examiner's Amendment. It is respectfully requested that these three sheets of drawings containing Figs. 1, 2, 3, 4a, 4b and 5 replace the

original three sheets of drawings in the application so that the application will be in condition for publication as a U.S. Patent.

Respectfully submitted,

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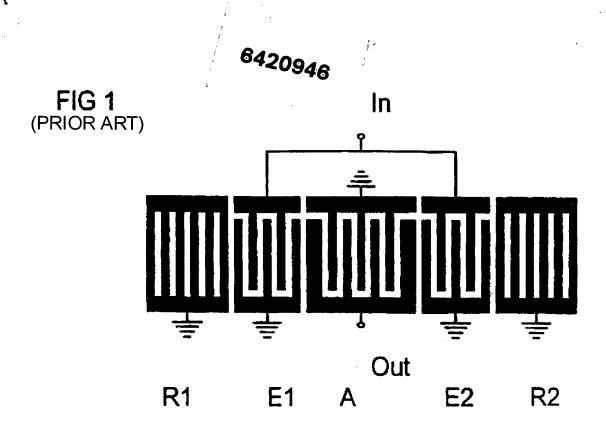
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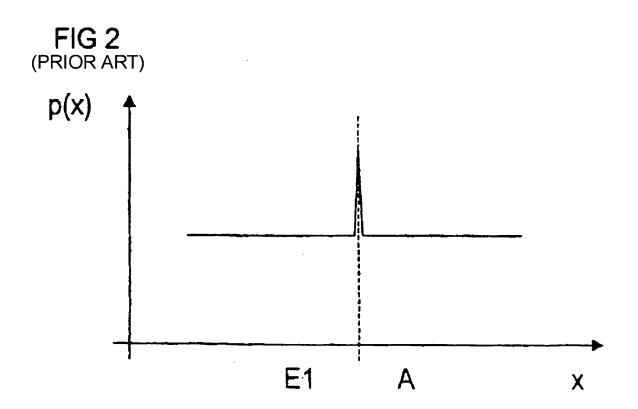
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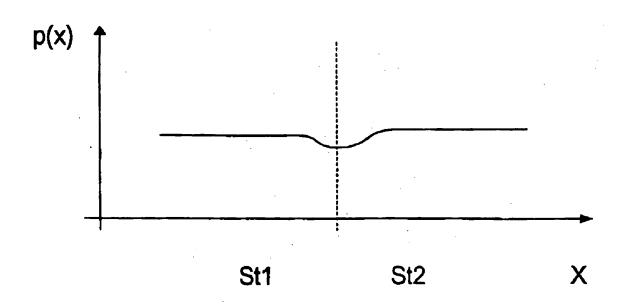




FIG 4b

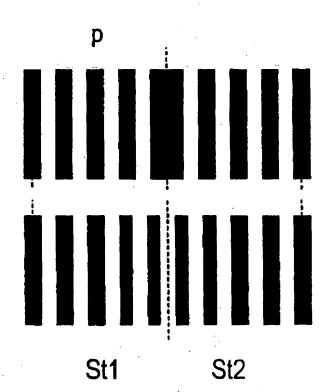


FIG 5

